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PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11, E. C. Clements Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & CO., 30, Abchurch Lane, E. C. GOSCH, 1, Leadenhall Street, E. C. HENRY & CO., 37, Watbrook, E. C. SMOKE DRAGON & CO., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE.—GALLIEN & FAIRBANK, 39, Rue Lafayette, Paris. NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 21, Park Row.

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CHINA.—MACAO, MESSRS A. A. DE MELLO & CO., SUCALOA, QUELOR & CO., AMOY, WILSON, NICHOLLS & CO., FOOCHOW, HEDDO & CO., SHANGHAI, LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., and KELLY & WALSH, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, and other ports.

Bank.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$5,000,000.
INSTALLED CAPITAL, \$2,765,52.
RESERVE FUND, \$2,500,000.
INSTALLED CAPITAL, \$98,336.43.
\$3,198,336.43.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—W. B. RAYNES, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—W. S. YOUNG, Esq.
H. L. DALRYMPLE, A. P. McEWEN, Esq.
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CHIEF MANAGER.
HONGKONG.—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
MANAGER.
SHANGHAI.—EVEN CAMERON, Esq.
LONDON BANKER.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.
INTEREST ALLOWED.
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 " " "
" 12 " 5 " " "

LOCAL DISCOUNTS.
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Office of the Corporation,
No. 1, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, August 25, 1883.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ESTABLISHED myself in this Colony as a SHARE and GENERAL BROKER.

HECTOR SAMPSON.
Hongkong, December 10, 1883. 1102

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

QUARANTINE AT EGYPTIAN AND CONTINENTAL PORTS.

ARRANGEMENTS have been made for passing the Company's Steamers through the Suez Canal in quarantine, thus avoiding any detention in Egypt. The Homeward Mail is now being landed at Venice, but the quarantine which is still imposed at this and all other Continental Ports prevents the landing of Passengers and those travelling by the Company's Steamers are advised to remain on board the vessel which calls at Marseilles en route—stopping a few hours only to discharge cargo—and proceed in her direct to London, thus avoiding all quarantine delays and inconveniences.

The Passengers of the Steamers will be accelerated, and they will not call at Malta or Gibraltar.

A. McIVER,
Superintendent.
Hongkong, September 6, 1883. 401

WILLIAM DOLAN,
SAIL-MAKER & SHIP-CHANDLER,
22, PRAYA CENTRAL.

COTTON DUCKS, HEMP CANVAS, MANILA ROPE, AMERICAN OAKUM, LIFE BOOYS, COCK JACKETS, &c., &c., &c.
Hongkong, May 1, 1882. 266

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IN accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the General Agents, with Approval of the Consulting Committee, on 1st JANUARY, 1884, have INTEREST WARRANTS of 85 per Share, Payable at the Hongkong & Shanghai Bank, the same being at the Rate of 20 per Cent. on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1883, and Notice is hereby given that in Order that the same may be adjusted the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the 18th to 31st INSTANT, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents,
CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.
Hongkong, December 13, 1883. 1114

Intimations.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

THE FOURTH and FINAL CALL of 210 Sterling per Share on the 20,000 SHARES, NEW ISSUE of this Corporation, will fall due on the 31st DECEMBER, 1883, in London, Calcutta, Bombay, Shanghai and Hongkong.

REGISTERED SHAREHOLDERS entitled to NEW SHARES, are requested to Pay, at the respective OFFICES, the above Call for its equivalent in the Currency of the above mentioned places.

PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES are being issued in Exchange for the First Call Receipts, which are to be surrendered to the Bank.

HOLDERS of PROVISIONAL CERTIFICATES, when paying this Call, will please send same to this Office to be endorsed.

The Rate of Exchange for Hongkong is fixed at 3/- 3/4, or \$53.33 per Share.

INTEREST at the Rate of 7 per Cent. per Annum will be charged on Calls unpaid on the 31st DECEMBER.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, December 13, 1883. 1121

NOTICE.

A Special General MEETING of the MEMBERS of the HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will be held at the CITY HALL on WEDNESDAY, the 2nd JANUARY, 1884, at 11 in the Forenoon, to nominate a Member for election to the Legislative Council.

By Order,
E. GEORGE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, December 21, 1883. 1132

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—KWONG WA and KWONG LING HING, lately residing at the "Ku Shing" Theatre, Victoria, Hongkong, Acorns, having been adjudged BANKRUPT under a Petition for adjudication, filed by CHU A-TUNG in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in Bankruptcy, on the 6th day of November, 1883, is hereby required to surrender himself to EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD, Esquire, the Registrar of the said Court, at the First MEETING of Creditors to be held by the said Registrar, on FRIDAY, the 4th day of January, 1884, at 11 o'clock in the Forenoon, precisely, at his Chambers, Supreme Court.

The said EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD, Esquire, is the Official Assignee, and Messrs DENNIS and MOSSOP are the Solicitors in the Bankruptcy.

All Persons INDEBTED to the said Bankrupt or who have any Property or Effects of his in their possession, are hereby warned not to pay or deliver the same except to the said Assignee or his Solicitors.

A Public Sitting will hereafter be appointed by the said Court for the said Bankrupt to pass his Final Examination and to make application for his Discharge, of which Sitting notice will be given in the Hongkong Government Gazette.

At the First Meeting of Creditors the Registrar will receive the Proofs of the Debts of the Creditors, and the Creditors who shall have proved their Debts, respectively, or the majority in value of the said Creditors, are hereby directed to choose at such Meeting an Assignee or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and Effects to be called the Creditors' Assignee or Assignees.

Dated the 10th day of December, 1883.

DENNIS & MOSSOP,
Solicitors in the Matter.

E. J. DURNY,
PROFESSOR OF MUSIC.

LESSONS given on the PIANO and ORGAN.

TERMS MODERATE.

Address,
c/o THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE.
Hongkong, December 13, 1883. 1157

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 23rd INST. until the 8th INSTANT, both days inclusive.

HENRY R. H. MARTIN,
Manager.
Hongkong, December 13, 1883. 1166

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 24th to the 31st INSTANT, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
J. BRADLEE SMITH,
Secretary.
Hongkong, December 19, 1883. 1166

NEWS FOR HOME.

The *Overland China Mail*.
PUBLISHED AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE IN TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.
Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely-printed matter.

THIS Mail Summary is compiled from the Daily *China Mail*, is published twice a month on the morning of the English Mail's departure, and is a record of each fortnight's current history of events in China and Japan, contributed in original reports and collected from those countries.

It contains Shipping news from Shanghai, Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete Commercial Summary.

Subscription, 50 cents per Copy (postage paid 20 cents) \$12 per annum (postage paid \$12.50).

Orders should be sent to **Geo. Murray Bay, China Mail Office, 2, Wyndham Street**, not later than noon of the day the English Mail Steamer leaves.

Terms of Advertising, same as in Daily *China Mail*.

For Sale.

CHRISTMAS 1883.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE RECEIVED AND HAVE NOW ON VIEW A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

CHRISTMAS DELICACIES.

ARTICLES SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS

FANCY GOODS,

Comprising:—

Real Turtle Soup.
Salmon Cutlets.
Kipperd Salmon.
Herrings à la Sardines.
Sardines au Citron.

Herrings in White Wine.
Mackerel in White Wine.
French Truffles.
Assorted English Patties.
Pâté de Foie Gras.

Truffled Chickens in Jelly.
French Stuffed Larks.
Assorted French Pâtés.
Asparagus.
Potatoes à la Pomme.

Champignons.
Pudding and Sultana Raisins.
Pâté for Minicorns.
Christmas Ham.
Christmas Cakes.

Plum Puddings.
Ripe Sultans.
Port du Salut Cheese.
Gravies Cheese.
Gorgonzola Cheese.

Double Gloucester.
Swiss.
Fru.
Ory.
Elev.

Muscadel Rais.
Barbecoda and Best French.
Bonbons and Bonbonnières.

French and Out-of-Cl.
Hongkong.

Double Gloucester.
Swiss.
Fru.
Ory.
Elev.

Muscadel Rais.
Barbecoda and Best French.
Bonbons and Bonbonnières.

French and Out-of-Cl.
Hongkong.

FOR SALE.

LADIES' JEWELLERY.
FANCY ORNAMENTS.
SCENT CASES.
Large Bottles of the Best EAU DE COLOGNE.
CARVED BRACKETS.
WORK BOXES.
WRITING CASES.
EMBROIDERED DOLLAR & LETTER CASES.
POCKET BOOKS AND PURSES.
CIGAR CASES.
JAPANESE OIL PAINT BOX.
OAK COPYING PRESS.
DOLLS, DRUMS, PUZZLES.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
Hongkong, December 20, 1883.

Intimations.

HONGKONG HOTEL.
BREAKFAST 8.30 A.M. to 12.30 P.M.
Tiffin 1.00 " " " "
Dinner 7.30 " " " "
Hongkong, December 17, 1883. 1138

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st OCTOBER, the PRICE of ICE will be REDUCED to 14 Cents per pound.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, September 15, 1883. 1153

SEE WOO,
TAILOR, DRAPER & OUTFITTER,
No. 55, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

CHRISTMAS BLACK, BROWN AND DRAB FELT HATS, AND TWEED HATS, (of all shapes).
All kinds of PERFORMS and TOILET SOAPS.

All Sorts of GENTLEMEN'S WINTER CLOTHING, &c., &c.
Hongkong, December 3, 1883. 1052

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A Second and Final BONUS of Five per cent. on Contributions, and a DIVIDEND of EIGHTEEN DOLLARS and TWENTY-FIVE CENTS per Share for the year 1882 will be Payable on MONDAY, the 22nd INSTANT.

WARRANTS may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date.

By Order of the Board,
DOUGLAS JONES,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, October 22, 1883. 707

Intimations.

VICTORIA HOTEL.

Proprietors:

DORABEE & HING KEE,
Late Lessees of the Hongkong Hotel.

THIS HOTEL is situated on the Praya Central in the centre of the principal Business localities and commands a magnificent view of the Harbour and surrounding scenery. From its detached position, perfect ventilation has been secured, and the whole of the ROOMS being Commodious and furnished with every Requisite and Comfort, afford most desirable Accommodation.

The BAR, BILLIARD ROOM, and DINING ROOMS, are fitted up in a Superior manner, and are all under European Supervision and Management.

The TABLE D'HOTE is supplied with every delicacy of the Season, and most satisfactory attendance. WINES and LIQUORS of the best Qualities and Brands only are supplied. Arrangements for BALLS, BANQUETS, DINNERS and PICNICS made on the most Reasonable Terms. The long and almost exclusive experience of the Proprietors, and the wide Reputation they have gained, are a sufficient guarantee that satisfaction will be given in this Branch.

With every facility for making suitable Arrangements at Reasonable Prices, either for permanent or weekly Boarders, the Proprietors confidently appeal to the Community of Hongkong for a continuance of the generous Patronage bestowed on them during the past eleven years.

Hongkong, November 20, 1883. 654

HOP SHING & Co.,
ENGINEERS, BOILER MAKERS,
COPPER SMITHS, BRASS & IRON FOUNDERS, &c., &c.

WEST POINT IRON WORKS.

HAVING THIS DAY commenced BUSINESS, are ready to undertake Work of the above Descriptions under the Supervision of an Experienced Engineer.

Orders executed with the most despatch and at moderate terms.

24th September, 1883. 611

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 27th December, 1883, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,—

AN ASSORTMENT OF

JAPANESE PORCELAIN WARE, BRONZES, EMBROIDERIES, &c., comprising:—

VASES, JARS, CADD DRESSES, INCENSE BURNERS, PLATES, TEA SETS, EGG-SHELL WARE, BRONZES, ORNAMENTS, EMBROIDERIES, SCROLLS, &c., &c.

HEZEN Vases from 5 1/2 inches to 66 inches high.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, December 24, 1883. 1189

FURNITURE SALE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 29th December, 1883, at 2 o'clock p.m., at No. 3, "Blue Buildings,"—

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

comprising:—

ARTICLES for DRAWING ROOM, DINING ROOM and BED ROOM, FENDER and FIRE IRONS, CHICKENY and Glass WARE, BEDDING, SEWING MACHINE, LAMPS and ORNAMENTS, CHAIRS, TWO JACKETMAKERS, &c., &c., &c.

The Articles can be seen on the Morning of the Sale.

TERMS.—As usual.

Hongkong, December 24, 1883. 1204

POSTPONEMENT.

"G. C. TRUPANT."

TO BE SOLD, at MANILA, by PUBLIC AUCTION, without reserve, for account of the concerned,

On a Day to be named hereafter, THE BRITISH SHIP

"G. C. TRUPANT."

As she now lies at her anchors in Manila Bay. HULL, MASTS, SPARS, RIGGING, SAILS, ANCHORS and CABLES, and all her other FURNITURE and APPARATUS in One Lot.

Conditions of Sale may be had of

LOYD'S AGENTS,
Manila.

3rd December, 1883. 1049

For Sale.

RODERICK DUH WHISKY.

A Pure, Fine-Flavoured Blend, Equal in Mouth and Style to the Finest FRENCH BRANDY.

Sole Agent, Hongkong,
C. L. THEVENIN.
Hongkong, October 19, 1883. 746

C. L. THEVENIN,
WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT,
HONGKONG HOTEL BUILDING,
HAS FOR SALE

A Fine Assortment of WHITE and RED BURGUNDIES.—GRAND HERMITAGE, CHAMBERLAIN, POMMARD, RICHENBOURG, CHATELAIN, PINS and QUARTS, &c., &c.

OLD PORT, SHERRY, WHISKY, COGNAC, Assorted LIQUEURS and SYRUPS; PERFUMERY, &c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, October 17, 1883. 731

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s
CHAMPAGNE

Quarts \$18 per 1 doz. Case.
Pints \$19 per 2 doz. "

N.B.—On and after 1st January, 1884, Prices will be Raised to \$21 Case for Pints.
\$20 " " " " " "

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
Hongkong, December 20, 1883. 1177

NOW ON SALE.

A CHINESE DICTIONARY
IN THE
CANTONESE DIALECT.

By
DR. E. J. EITEL.
CHOW CHUO, PR. 1018.

HONGKONG, 1877-1883.

Part I. A-K, \$2.50
Part II. K-M, \$2.50
Part III. M-T, \$3.00
Part IV. T-Z, \$3.00

A Reduction of ten per cent. will be allowed to purchasers of ten or more copies.

This Standard Work on the Chinese Language, constructed on the basis of Kanghi's Imperial Dictionary, contains all Chinese characters in practical use, and while alphabetically arranged according to the sounds of the oldest dialect of China, the Cantonese, it gives also the Mandarin pronunciation of all characters explained in the book, so that its usefulness is by no means confined to the Cantonese Dialect, but the work is a practically complete Thesaurus of the whole Written Language of China, ancient and modern, as used all over the Empire, whilst its introductory chapters serve the purposes of a philological guide to the student.

A Supplement, arranged for being bound separately, and containing a List of the Radicals, an Index, and a List of Surnames, will be published and sold separately.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, January 15, 1883. 115

FOR SALE CHEAP.

FIVE Hundred to Six Hundred Tons of COKE and COAL-TAR, in lots to suit, from one ton upwards.

CHOY CHEW,
230, Praya West.
Hongkong, June 18, 1883. 1270

To Let.

THE PREMISES now occupied by us, No. 11, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. For further Particulars apply to Messrs. RUSSELL & Co.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, August 1, 1883. 220

G. O. DOWNS & Co. LET.
PRAYA EAST AND VANGCHAI ROAD.
For Particulars, apply to

STEINISSEN & Co.
Hongkong, April 26, 1882. 707

TO LET.

"BISNEY VILLA" PORCULUM, No. 25B, PRAYA CENTRAL.

Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, December 17, 1883. 1143

TO LET.

OFFICES and COMPRADORE'S QUARTERS in MARINE HOUSE, No. 19, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, now occupied by Messrs. FRANKS HORNBY & Co., Possession, 18th January, 1884.

Apply to
E. R. BELLIOS.
Hongkong, December 22, 1883. 118

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR BANGKOK (DIRECT.)
THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Company's Steamer "Rajahmundry," Captain W. Y. HUNTER, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 28th INSTANT, at 8 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
YUEN FAT HONG, Agents.
Hongkong, December 24, 1883. 1203

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
The Co.'s Steamship "Oceana," Capt. WERTNER, will be despatched on or about the 30th INSTANT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, December 24, 1883. 1192

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI.
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship "Toucan," will be despatched on or about the 31st INSTANT.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, December 24, 1883. 1198

UNION LINE.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.
The Steamship "Lord of the Isles," Captain FROST, due on or about 31st INSTANT, will have immediate despatch for the above Ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, December 24, 1883. 1202

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.
(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND.)

The Steamship "Changha," Captain WHITNEY, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 5th JANUARY, at 4 p.m.

This Vessel has unusually good Cabin Accommodation, situated amidships, upon the upper deck.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Hongkong, December 18, 1883. 1186

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS.
The Co.'s Steamship "Djemah," Commandant, M. ROUSSEAU, will be despatched for SHANGHAI shortly after her arrival from Europe.

I. MARTIN,
Acting Agent.
Hongkong, December 24, 1883. 1194

NOTICE.

To-day's Advertisements.

MILNER'S PATENT FIREPRO
SAVES, CASH and PAP
BOXES, at Manufacturers
Hongkong & Shanghai

tures, 1880...	600	\$	500	all
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* For 6 months to 30th June.—† Dividend for 1883.—‡ For year 1881.—|| For half year ended

%	June & Dec.	2% prem.
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£2 and Bonus of 25 per cent.—⁺ To 30th April
 1st June 1883.

EDWARD GEORGE, Share Broker.

B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Passenger for MARSEILLES.
A McIVER, Superintendent.
Hongkong December 26, 1883. 1213

24, General.—J. M. S. N. Co.
c. 25, *Esmeralda*, British steamer, 395,
Wright, Manila and Amoy Dec. 24,
ral.—Russell & Co.

U. S. N. — Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of departure.

15th instant the steamer Remus
 ore while trying to enter the port
 an (Mindoro). A large portion of

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.							Dec. 23, 1883.	
Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid-up.	Reserve.	Working Account.	Last Dividend.	Closing Quotations.	
BANKS.								
HK. and S'hai Bank.....	50,000 \$	125 \$	125 \$	3,108,336 \$	52,500.02	29	181 % = \$351 1/2	
INSURANCES.								
N'oh.-China Ins.	1,000 TL	2,000 TL	600 TL	400,000 TL	520,464.77	TL 75	TL 1,550 p. sh	
Yantai Ins.	1,200 TL	456 1/2 TL	350 TL	533,235 TL	3,050.70	18 %	TL 1,100 " "	
Union Ins. Soc.	2,000 \$	1,250 \$	125 \$	509,000 \$	* 757,331.00	18 2/3 %	\$620 " "	
China Traders' Insurance.....	24,000 \$	83.33 \$	25 \$	600,000 \$	107,411.65	22 %	\$71 " "	
C'lon Ins. Office 10,000 \$		250 \$	50	...	\$66,127.77	10 %	\$112 " "	
Chinese Ins. Co.	1,500 \$	1,000 \$	200 \$	100 %	Debit balance \$300.77	3 %	\$200 " "	
HK. Fire Ins.....	8,000 \$	250 \$	50 \$	861,000 \$	250,732.56	\$20	\$365 " "	
China Fire Ins.	20,000 \$	100 \$	20 \$	500,000 \$	166,306.49	\$3.60 and bonus proportionate	\$71 " "	
STEAM SHIP COMPANIES.								
HK. S. and M. Steamboat.....	8,000 \$	100 \$	75 \$	200,000 \$	41,320.95	6 %	\$124 " "	
Indo-China S.S. Nav. Co.....	120,000 \$	10 \$	10		Debit.		25 % dis. p.	
China & Manila S.S. Coy., Lt.	3,500	\$100	all		...		par. " "	
MISCELLANEOUS.								
HK. & Whippa Dock	10,000 \$	125 \$	125 \$	\$18,000 1/2 \$	2,683.01	4 %	57 % prem. = \$190 1/2	
HK. & China Gas Co.	5,000 \$	10 \$	10	\$7,758.14 \$	1,144.18.9	...	\$84 p. share	
H'kong Hotel.....	2,000 \$	100 \$	100 \$	30,000	...	\$3	\$150 " "	
China Sugar Co.	1,000 \$	100 \$	100 \$	...	5,895.66 \$	\$3	\$152 " "
H'kong Ice Co.	1,250 \$	100 \$	100 \$	15,250 \$	667.06	\$12 1/2 for 1883.	\$152 " "	
H'kong Bakery	600 \$	50 \$	50 \$	4,000 \$	253.45	\$5	\$82 " "	
Lazou Sugar Co.	7,000 \$	100 \$	100	...	\$ 4,000.05	...	\$80 " "	
Perak Tin Mining Company.....	3,000 \$	50	all	...	First year Payable.	...	\$170 " "	
LOANS.								
Chi. Imp., 1874	6,276 \$	100	all	8 %	June 30 Dec 31	...	...
" " 1877	167,160 1/2 \$	100	all	8 %	Feb. 28 Ag. 31	...	...
" " 1878	3,890 TL	500	all	8 %	April & Oct. 10	...	...
" " 1881	8,665 TL	500	all	8 %	June 1 & Dec. 10	...	par. " "	
Sugar Debentures, 1880.....	600 \$	500	all	8 %	June & Dec.	...	2 % prem.	

* For 5 months to 30th June. —† Dividend for 1883 and Bonus of 25 per cent. —‡ To 30th April 1883. —§ For year 1881. —|| For half year ended 30th June.

EDWARD GEORGE, Share Broker.

Office, Shanghai.

